

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY GOALS

A. Combat Crime and Terrorism

(Texas Government Code, Chapter 411; Texas Government Code, Chapter 421, Subchapter E)

Protect Texas from terrorist attacks, organized criminal activity, public corruption and violent criminals by eliminating high-threat organizations; enhancing border and highway security and conducting investigations that result in the incarceration of corrupt public officials and high threat criminals.

B. Enhance Public Safety

(Texas Government Code, Chapters 411)

Protect the public through improved highway safety and public safety communications.

C. Emergency Management

(Texas Government Code, Chapter 418)

Enhance emergency preparedness at the state and local levels, effectively administer homeland security and emergency management grant programs, and ensure a prompt, effective response to and recovery from natural and man-made disasters.

D. Regulatory and Agency Services

(Texas Government Code, Chapter 411; Texas Occupations Code, Chapter 1702)

Improve the services provided to all external and internal customers, and improve responsiveness, customer focus, and modern business practices in the delivery of all services to enhance public safety and promote the prevention of crime and terrorism in an ever-changing threat environment.